

Print Awareness Assessment

Name _____

Date _____

Scoring: Put a checkmark in the box to indicate the child has mastered the skill. Put an "X" in the box to indicate the child has not yet mastered the skill. Record observational data in addition.

Skill	Correct / Incorrect	Notes / Comments / Observations
The student POINTS TO / CAN IDENTIFY:		
1. the front of the book		
2. the back of the book		
3. the title of the book		
4. the author of the book		
5. where to begin reading a page of the book		
6. the direction in which to read (left to right, top to bottom)		
7. where to go at the end of the line (return sweep)		
8. a picture versus a word (can they identify the difference between text and illustration?)		
9. a capital letter		
10. a lowercase letter		
11. points to words one-to-one (COW or voice-print match)		
12. white space between words		
13. a question mark		If not in book, note "NA"
14. an exclamation point		If not in book, note "NA"
15. a comma		If not in book, note "NA"
16. a period		If not in book, note "NA"
17. first letter in a word		
18. last letter in a word		